IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Sghaier NOURY et al.

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Group Art Unit: 2128

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Examiner: Shaawat, Mussa A.

For: FUNCTIONAL REPLICATOR OF A SPECIFIC INTEGRATED

CIRCUIT AND ITS USE AS AN EMULATION DEVICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

January 5, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition the Director of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated August 9, 2004, for two months from November 9, 2004, to January 9, 2005

A Credit Card Payment Form is attached to cover the cost of the extension. Please charge any additional required fees or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 50-1258.

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